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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 09/978,186  
Applicant : Philip G. DRAGONETTI  
Filed : October 17, 2001  
TC/A.U. : 2634  
Confirmation No. : 3919  
Examiner : File, Erin M.  
Docket No. : 0918.0075C  
Customer No. : 27896  
Title : Method and Apparatus for Generating a Composite Signal

**ATTN: MAIL STOP AF**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Enclosed are the following documents in response to the Office Action mailed June 2, 2005, for the above-identified application:

- ☒ Amendment (16 pages)
- ☐ Petition for Extension of Time
- ☐ Request for Approval of Drawing Changes
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Notice of Appeal
- ☐ Associate Power
- ☐ Revocation and New Power
- ☐ Change of Address
- ☐ Return receipt postcard
- ☐ Check No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for the total fee as calculated below
- ☐ Other:

The fee has been calculated as follows:

	NO OF CLAIMS REMAINING	NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NO OF EXCESS CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	64	- 64 =	0	\$50.00	0.00
Independent Claims	4	- 4 =	0	\$200.00	0.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$360.00					0.00
Total Amendment Fee					0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims Small Entity Status (subtract 50% of Total Application Fee)					0.00
Other fees: (specify)					0.00
<b>TOTAL FEE DUE</b>					0.00

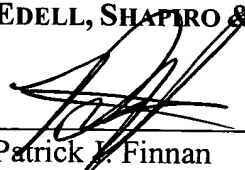
It is believed that no fees are required at this time. However, Applicants hereby petition for any extension of time that may be necessary to maintain the pendency of this application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required for the above-identified application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 05-0460.

Dated: September 2, 2005

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 2, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 13 of this paper.